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## **Amendments to the Specification:**

Please add the following new paragraph at line 23 of page 9:

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Fig. 18 is a cross-sectional view showing an ink-jet recording head fabricated as another embodiment of the present invention.

Please amend the following paragraph which begins on line 22 of page 27:

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Furthermore, when all of the electrodes have mesh-like structure <u>as shown in Fig. 18</u>, the adjacent piezoelectric elements having the electrode interposed therebetween can be welded to each other through the mesh of the electrode <u>27a' and 27b'</u>, so as to further enhance the strength of the ink-jet recording head.